

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re National Stage of International	)	
Application No. PCT/IB2003/004790 under	)	
35 U.S.C. § 371 of:	)	Group Art Unit: 1791
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Renato CARETTA et al.	)	Examiner: M.K. ROGERS
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Application No.: 10/577,252	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 9678
§ 371 Date: Jan. 12, 2007	)	
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For: METHOD AND PLANT FOR	)	
MANUFACTURING A PNEUMATIC	)	
TYRE FOR VEHICLE WHEEL	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated April 27, 2010, Applicants respectfully  
request reconsideration of this application in view of the remarks below.